

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**  
**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

<b>IN RE:</b>	<b>March 7, 2005</b>	)	
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<b>PETITION OF Z-TEL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. TO</b>		)	<b>DOCKET NO.</b>
<b>CHANGE ITS NAME TO TRINSIC COMMUNICATIONS,</b>		)	<b>04-00445</b>
<b>INC.</b>			

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**ORDER GRANTING APPROVAL OF THE PETITION OF  
Z-TEL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR NAME CHANGE**

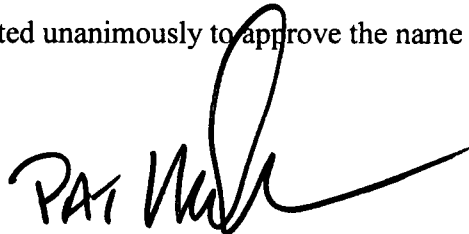
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This matter came before Chairman Pat Miller, Director Deborah Taylor Tate and Director Sara Kyle of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority" or "TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on January 31, 2005 upon the request of Z-Tel Communications, Inc. ("Z-Tel" or the "Company") to change its name to Trinsic Communications, Inc.

On September 15, 1998, the TRA issued an order in Docket No. 98-00410 granting Z-Tel a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") to provide operator services and/or resell telecommunications services. In addition, on March 22, 2001, the TRA issued an order in Docket No. 00-00861 granting Z-Tel a CCN to provide facilities based local exchange telecommunications services. On December 28, 2004, Z-Tel filed its *Petition* to change its name to Trinsic Communications, Inc.

Based upon careful consideration of the record of this matter, the panel found that the Company has met all the requirements for changing its name and voted unanimously to approve the name change.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**



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Pat Miller, Chairman



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Deborah Taylor Tate, Director



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Sara Kyle, Director